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- * U.S. Patent No. 4,732,082;
 - U.S. Patent No. 5,173,351;
 - U.S. Patent No. 5,382,464;
 - U.S. Patent No. 5,736,223;
 - U.S. Patent No. 6,032,712;
 - U.S. Patent No. 6,053,232;
 - U.S. Patent No. 6,109,326;
- * U.S. Patent No. 6,176,287 B1;
- * U.S. Patent No. 6,245,414 B1;

- * European Application No. 0 370 972 A1;
- * European Application No. 0 980 751 A1;
- * Great Britain Patent No. 2 373 482 A; WO 98/53985; WO 99/41064; and
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